

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application: <b>Aguilar, Jr. et al.</b>	§	Group Art Unit: <b>2136</b>
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Serial No.: <b>10/670,825</b>	§	Examiner: <b>Parthasarathy, Pramila</b>
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Filed: <b>September 25, 2003</b>	§	Attorney Docket No.: <b>AUS920030704US1</b>
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For: <b>System and Method for Selecting and Using a Single Processor in a Multiprocessor System to Operate as a Security Processor for Encryption/Decryption of Data</b>	§	Customer No.: <b>50170</b>
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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

No fees are believed to be required. If, however, any fees are required, I authorize the Commissioner to charge these fees which may be required to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 09-0447. No extension of time is believed to be necessary. If, however, an extension of time is required, the extension is requested, and I authorize the Commissioner to charge any fees for this extension to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 09-0447.

In response to the Final Office Action dated October 30, 2007, reconsideration of the claims in view of the following remarks is respectfully requested.

Listing of Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.